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SYRINGE SAFETY DEVICE

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a 1-month extension of time to and including September 3, 2007 for responding to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2007. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

A check in the amount of \$ .00 is enclosed herewith.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing **No.** 8567-592U2 (0646)(P-0275)) as noted below.

[X] Extension fee in the amount of \$120.00

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